

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)
WITHOUT FILING FEE OR EXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION

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This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:
METHODS FOR TREATING CANCERS AND PATHOGEN INFECTIONS USING ANTIGEN-PRESENTING CELLS-
LOADED WITH RNA

without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration.

This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

- ☒ An abstract together with
35 pages of specification and claims including
38 numbered claims and also attached is/are
4 sheets of accompanying drawings.
☐ This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s):

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respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

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- ☐ Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached.
☒ This application is a ☒ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/073,819, filed May 6, 1998, which is a continuation of 08/640,444, filed April 30, 1996, now USP 5,853,719.
☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a ☒ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/073,819, filed May 6, 1998, which is a continuation of 08/640,444, filed April 30, 1996, now USP 5,853,719, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--
☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. _____, filed _____, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--
☒ Also attached: ☒ PTO-1449 Form; ☐ Non-Publication Request; ☐ Other:

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